NAME Armando Morales

PRISON NUMBER P80673

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# United States District Court SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

Civil No.

(FULL NAME OF PETITIONER)

ARMANDO MORALES

**PETITIONER** 

(NAME OF WARDEN, SUPERINTENDENT, JAILOR, OR AUTHORIZED PERSON HAVING CUSTODY OF PETITIONER [E.G., DIRECTOR OF THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS])

DARREL ADAMS, Warden. RESPONDENT and

The Attorney General of the State of California, Additional Respondent.

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(TOBE FILLED IN BY CLERK OF U.S. DISTRICT COURT)

PETITION FOR WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS

UNDER 28 U.S.C. § 2254 BY A PERSON IN STATE CUSTODY

- 1. Name and location of the court that entered the judgment of conviction under attack: Superior Court of Imperial County.
- 2. Date of judgment of conviction: May 12th, 2004
- 3. Trial court case number of the judgment of conviction being challenged: CF12094
- 4. Length of sentence: 28 to Life

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5.	Sentence start date and projected release date: Starts 2009 - Earliest Release 2039
6.	Offense(s) for which you were convicted or pleaded guilty (all counts):  COUNT 1. Assault By A Prisoner With A Deadly Weapon and By Means of Force Likely To Produce Great Bodily Injury;
7.	Force Likely To Produce Great Bodily Injury; COUNT 2. Assault On A Peace Officer With A Deadly Weapon or Force Likely To Produce Great Bodily Injury; and enhancement of Great Bodily Injury What was your plea? (CHECK ONE)
	(a) Not guilty
	(b) Guilty
	(c) Nolo contendere
8.	If you pleaded not guilty, what kind of trial did you have? (CHECK ONE)  (a) Jury  (b) Judge only
9.	Did you testify at the trial?  Yes No
	DIRECT APPEAL
	Did you appeal from the judgment of conviction in the California Court of Appeal?  Yes No
11.	If you appealed in the California Court of Appeal, answer the following:
	(a) Result: DENIED - CONVICTION AFFIRMED.
	(b) Date of result, case number and citation, if known: Date of Result: June 13th, 2005  Case Number: D044560
	(c) Grounds raised on direct appeal:  (1) Trial Court Erred in Sentencing Appellant to Concurrent terms for the offens of Assault By A Prisoner and Assault Upon A Peace Officer.
	(2) Trial Court Erred in Denvino Appellants Motion To Strike The Prior Strike Allegation.
12.	If you sought further direct review of the decision on appeal by the <u>California Supreme</u> <u>Court</u> (e.g., a Petition for Review), please answer the following:
	(a) Result: DENIED - CONVICTION AFFIRMED.
	(b) Date of result, case number and citation, if known: Date of Result: August 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2005  Case Number: 5135813
	(c) Grounds raised: Same As On Direct Appeal.
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13. If you filed a petition for certiorari in the <u>United States S</u> following with respect to that petition:	Supreme Court, please answer the
(a) Result: N/A	
(b) Date of result, case number and citation, if known:	N/A
(c) Grounds raised: N/A	
COLLATERAL REVIEW IN STATE	TE COURT
14. Other than a direct appeal from the judgment of conviction filed any petitions, applications, or motions (e.g., a Petition respect to this judgment in the California Superior Courses No	on for Writ of Habeas Corpus) with
15. If your answer to #14 was "Yes," give the following infor	mation:
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(a) California Court of Appeal Case Number:
(c) Grounds raised:  Same As Instant Petition  (d) Did you receive an evidentiary hearing on your petition, application or motion?  Yes Mo  (e) Result:  CONVICTION AFFIRMED / PETITION DENIED  (f) Date of result:  M/A 1/21/07  18. Other than a direct appeal from the judgment of conviction and sentence, have you previously filed any petitions, applications, or motions (e.g., a Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus) with respect to this judgment in the California Supreme Court?  Yes No  19. If your answer to #18 was "Yes," give the following information:  (a) California Supreme Court Case Number: S155801  (b) Nature of proceeding: Writ of Habeas Corpus Petition  (c) Grounds raised:
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(d) Did you receive an evidentiary hearing on your petition, application or motion?  ☐ Yes ► No
(e) Result: CONVICTION AFFIRMED / PETITION DENIED ON MERTS
(f) Date of result: 3112/08 (SEE Ex"T" Order Danying Habras Corpus)
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20. If you did not file a petition, application or motion (e.g., a Petition for Review or a Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus) with the <u>California Supreme Court</u> containing the grounds raised in this federal Petition, explain briefly why you did not:  N/A
COLLATERAL REVIEW IN FEDERAL COURT
21. Is this your first federal petition for writ of habeas corpus challenging this conviction?  Yes No (If "Yes" Skip to #22)  (a) If no, in what federal court was the prior action filed?  (i) What was the prior case number?
(ii) Was the prior action (CHECK ONE):  ☐ Denied on the merits? ☐ Dismissed for procedural reasons? (iii) Date of decision: ► N/A
<ul> <li>(b) Were any of the issues in this current petition also raised in the prior federal petition?</li> <li>□ Yes □ No</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>(c) If the prior case was denied on the merits, has the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals given you permission to file this second or successive petition?</li> <li>□ Yes □ No</li> </ul>
<ul> <li><u>Exhaustion of State Court Remedies:</u> In order to proceed in federal court you must ordinarily first exhaust your state court remedies as to each ground on which you request action by the federal court. This means that even if you have exhausted some grounds by</li> </ul>

- raising them before the California Supreme Court, you must first present all other grounds to the California Supreme Court before raising them in your federal Petition.
- Single Petition: If you fail to set forth all grounds in this Petition challenging a specific judgment, you may be barred from presenting additional grounds challenging the same judgment at a later date.
- Factual Specificity: You must state facts, not conclusions, in support of your grounds. For example, if you are claiming incompetence of counsel you must state facts specifically setting forth what your attorney did or failed to do. A rule of thumb to follow is - state who did exactly what to violate your federal constitutional rights at what time or place.

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#### **GROUNDS FOR RELIEF**

- 22. State concisely every ground on which you claim that you are being held in violation of the constitution, law or treaties of the United States. Summarize briefly the facts supporting each ground. If necessary, you may attach pages stating additional grounds and/or facts supporting each ground.
  - (a) GROUND ONE: The Prosecutions Intentional Intrusion Into The Attorney Client Relationship Violated Petitioner's Rights Under The Sixth And Fourteenth Amendments To The U.S. Constitution And Article 1 Sections 7 And 15 Of The California Constitution.

Supporting FACTS (state briefly without citing cases or law)

- 1. THE PROSECUTORIAL MISCONDUCT IN THIS CASE VIOLATED PETITIONER'S RIGHT TO EFFECTIVE ASSISTANCE OF COUNSEL AND A FAIR TRIAL.
- A. FACTS PERTAINING TO PETITIONER'S CONFIDENTIAL COMMUNICATION TO HIS
- 2. During the prosecution's case in chief, Petitioner's Attorney Thomas Storey brought up the issue of Petitioner testifying on his own behalf. Petitioner asked Mr. Storey for his advice on the matter as he was unfamiliar with how these things worked. (See exhibit (ex) "A" Declaration (Dec.) of Armando Morales (Morales) at page (p.) I, paragraph (para) 2. attached hereto.)
- 3. Mr. Storey informed Petitioner that he could not properly advise him until he knew exactly what had occured. However, Mr. Storey said that he did not have time to visit him again, and instructed Petitioner to write him a letter explaining what had occured and send it to him via Confidential legal mail. (Ex. "A" Dec. of Morales at p.1; para 3).
- 4. That same night in his prison cell, Petitioner wrote a two (2) page letter to Mr. Storey fully disclosing all the circumstances surrounding this incident, along with a defense theory. He also asked Mr. Storey for his advice on whether or not Petitioner Should testify, Petitioner placed this document in a blank white envelope and addressed it to: "Thomas Storey Esq." with the words, "Confidential Attorney-Client Communication" (Dec. of Morales at p.1, para 4.)

Did you raise GROUND ONE in the California Supreme Court? Yes No.

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5. Petitioner took the communication with him to court the next day to give to Mr. Storey. Petitioner handed the confidential letter to the correctional officers (c.o.'s) whom transported him that day in order to be inspected for contraband. Upon arriving to the court, the C.O. gave Petitioners attorney letter to the baliff, who in turn delivered it to Mr. Storey (Dec. of Morales at P.I , para 5.)

6. In the courtroom Petitioner explained to Mr. Storey that everything he needed to know about the case was in the letter that the baliff handed him. Mr. Storey stated : "Perfect, I'll read it later." (Dec. of Morales at p.2., Para 6.).

# B. FACTS PERTAINING TO THE PROSECUTION'S INTENTIONAL INTRUSION INTO THE ATTORNEY-CLIENT RELATIONSHIP AND USE OF CONFIDENTIAL COMMUNICATIONS

- 7. The following day, Mr. Storey told Petitioner in the Courtroom that he read Petitioners' letter and that he would prepare him if he chose to testify, which Mr. Storey thought would be a good idea. Petitioner decided to testify. (Dec. of Morales at p. 2. para. 7.).
- 8. Before the judge entered the courtroom, both Petitioner and Mr. Storey were preparing for Petitioner to testify. This required discussing the incident, strategy, observing how Petitioner would answer Mr. Storey's questions, and reviewing the incident reports as well as the letter petitioner wrote to Mr. Storey. (Der. of Morales at. P.2 , para 8.)
- . q. While this was going on , the prosecutor was about four (4) feet away from them, sitting behind the prosecution side of the table apparently listening to Petitioners' 27 conversation with his attorney and was caught glancing in their direction from time to time. ( Der. of Morales at p. 2, para. 9.)

28 1. The prosecutions key eye-witness himself had serious credibility issues.
(see ground 3.)

- defense. During cross-examination by the prosecutor, Petitioner was ambushed. The prosecutor questioned Petitioner about the communication he wrote Mr. Storey in confidence about the case. Petitioner immediately told the prosecutor that was "confidential information that I was Sharing with my attorney." (RT 61B, attached hereto as Ex "B"; see also Dec. of Morales at p.3, para 10.)
- 11. After an unreported side bar, the prosecutor had possession of Petitioner's written communication to his attorney that he wrote in confidence. The prosecutor used the document to impeach Petitioner during cross-examination (see RT 620-625 attached hereto as Ex "C", see also Dec. of Morales at p.3, para 11.)
- 12. Further, during the prosecutor's Closing argument and rebuttal argument, the made repeated reference to Petitioners written communication to his attorney in order to Show the jury that prosecution eye-witness Don Davis was more credible than Petitioner. (See RT 718,723-25,748-49 attached hereto as EX "O".)
- 13. In the Notice of Appeal, Mr. Storey raised "Prosecutorial Misconduct" as an issue to be argued on direct appeal. (clerks notes 000162)
- 14. Petitioner hand delivered his written statement to his attorney rather than mailing it because prison officials were tampeving with his mail including confidential legal mail. (Dec. of Morales at p.3, para 14; see also EX "E" CDC 602 Appeals re: Mail Tampeving.

(b) GROUND TWO: TRIAL COUNSELS FAILURE TO PRESERVE THE ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVELEGE AND OBJECT TO THE PROSECUTOR'S MISCONDUCT DENIED PETITIONER EFFECTIVE ASSISTANCE OF COUNSEL AND A FAIR TRIAL.

Supporting FACTS (state briefly without citing cases or law):

- 1. In this case, Attorney Thomas Storey betrayed Petitioner and the legal profession.
- 2. Petitioner repeats those facts in support of Ground 1. in support of this Ground.
- 3. Petitioner trusted his attorney Thomas Storey. That is why he freely disclosed to him everything about this case. Petitioner believed his written communication to Mr. Storey would remain confidential. (Dec. of Morales at p. 3, para. 13.)
- 4. After petitioner festified and after being impeached by the prosecutor, Petitioner asked Mr. Storey how the prosecutor knew of the letter he wrote to him and how he obtained possession of it. Mr. Storey told Petitioner that the prosecutor overheard their conversation and that the judge forced him to turn it over to the prosecutor. (Dec. of Morales at p. 3, para 12.)
- "forced" him to turn it over (petitioners' letter) is untrue.
- 6. After an unreported side bar, a brief discussion between the court, Mr. Storey, and the prosecutor took place:

court: "When we discussed this issue at sidebar, Mr. Storey distinguished two sorts of paperwork. One was apparently a narrative written by HIS CLIENT OF WHAT OCCURED... and Mr. Storey AGREED ... that the prosecutor is entitled to review that."

MR. STOREY: "Correct'
PROSECUTOR: "Your Honor, I'am satisfied with Mr. Storey's representations."
COURT: "Then we'll give you an opportunity to review that".

(RT 619-620 attached hereto as Ex "C".)

Did you raise GROUND Two in the California Supreme Court? Yes \( \subseteq No. \)

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- 7. After this conversation between the court, Mr. Storey, and the prosecutor, the prosecution had possession of Petitioners communication that he wrote his attorney in confidence, and went on to impeach him with it. ( See Ground 1. para. 11 and 12.)
- 8. During his closing argument to the jury, Mr. Storey described Petitioners' communication as a: "WRITTEN STATEMENT TO ME THAT THE D.A. WAS ABLE TO GO THROUGH . (RT 738, a Hached hereto as EX " F " ).
- q. In his rebuttal argument, the prosecutor denied Knowing of the existence of Petitioners letter "until the court ordered it turned over " 21 (RT 748-49 attached hereto as Ex " D").
- 10. The representations by Mr. Storey and the prosecutor in paragraphs 8 and 9 are misleading. The court never "ordered" Petitioners letter to his attorney "turned " over " to the D.A. . The reason the "D.A. was able to go through " Petitioners written communication was because Mr. Storey "Agreed ... that the prosecutor" was "entitled to review" it. (RT 619.)
- 11. Mr. Storey's failure to object to the Prosecutors intentional intrusion into the attorney-client relationship and his failure to preserve the attorney-client privilege betrayed Petitioners confidence and violated his constitutional rights to the effective assistance of counsel and a fair trial. Mr. Storey's breach of the attorneyclient privilege and failure to object to the prosecutors misconduct prejudiced Petitioner.

This denial is undermined by the record. During cross-examination of Petitioner, the prosecutor specifically questioned Petitioner about the communication prior to this issue being brought to the courts attention. (RT 618).

(c) GROUND THREE: TRIAL COUNSEL PROVIDED INEFFECTIVE ASSISTANCE BY FAILING TO IMPEACH PROSECUTION KEY WITHESS DON DAVIS AND BY FAILING TO PRESENT EVIDENCE OF ANOTHER SUSPECT THAT THREATENED VICTIM C.O. RHOADS WITH PHYSICAL VIOLENCE.

### Supporting FACTS (state *briefly* without citing cases or law):

1. Officer Don Davis was the only eye-witness that allegedly sow Petitioner Strike prison guard Rhoads. In fact, in regards to impeachment issues, the trial judge said it best: "The only one who actually saw the blow struck is Officer Don Davis... and therefore, he is a critical witness. And issues that arise out of his testimony, I think are, therefore, elevated to a higher level." (RT 658)

#### A. FACTS PERTAINING TO CREDIBILITY ISSUES DURING DON DAVIS' TRIAL TESTIMONY.

- 2. There were serious issues related to Davis' testimony. First it must be noted that prison guard Davis did not know Petitioner prior to this incident and testified that Petitioner was wearing a blue shirt and blue Levis (RT 549, 487). However, Officer Francisco Guittierez testified that Petitioner was wearing shorts. (RT 565).
- 3. Further, Davis testified that when Petitioner Struck Rhoads, he took a few steps going towards the stairs (RT481-490). However, Officer Holmes testified that Davis told him, "inmate Morales struck Officer Rhoads and stood over him while ignoring orders to get down." (RT 673, 687-689).
- 4. Furthermore and more disturbing is the fact that the Rules Violation Report regarding this incident was falsified. Davis was the "Reporting Employee" in this case. However, Davis testified that he did not author the CDC. 115 Rules Violation Report (RVR), even though defense counsel confronted him with the report that had Davis' name and signature on it (RT550). Davis claimed that he did not know who prepared the report (RT550). However, Correctional Sqt. McWilliams testified that Davis in fact did prepare the RVR CDC 115 (RT 589). Specifically, Sgt. McWilliams testified " so, yes, he did prepare his report if his name is on there." (RT. 590). And that the Narrative Section of the 115 is prepared by the Reporting Employee (i.e. Davis.) (RT. 590).

Did you raise GROUND THREE in the California Supreme Court?

Yes No.

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- 5. The CDC 115 in this case severely contradicts Davis' trial testimony. (see EX "6" RVR dated 3/5/02 authored by Don Davis, Reporting Employee). Moreover, there is a second RVR 115 authored by Davis and dated 7/23/02. This Second 115 is a carbon copy of the first RVR that Davis denied writing. The only difference is that the charge was reduced from attempted murder to battery. (see Ex. "H" second RVR also authored and signed by Davis.)
- 6. What this proves is either Davis committed perjury, or investigative staff involved in this incident falsified the reports, a crime under California law. (see penal code section 134 and 141 (B). It also proves forgery if Davis was telling the truth, another crime. (Penal Code 470). One of these occured and as such, Petitioners' conviction is tainted.
- 7. The above contradictions and discrepancies in Davis testimony are likely what prompted the jury to request readback of c.o. Davis, Holmes, and Gutierrez on two (2) seperate occassions.
- 8. The first read back request was on March 11th, 2004 at 4:25 p.m.; Davis' and Holmes' testimony was re-read to the jury. (see EX" I" Jury note attached hereto).
- q. The second jury request was on March 12th, 2004 at q:50 a.m.: Davis' and Gutierrez' testimony was re-read to the jury. (See EX " 3" Jury note attached hereto). "

<sup>1.</sup> The jury also requested the read back of Petitioner's and C.O. Rhoads testimony (clarks Transcripts 3,5).

B. FACTS PERTAINING TO COUNSELS FAILURE TO IMPEACH DON DAVIS.

10. Besides the flaws in Davis' testimony, counsel Storey failed to impeach him further in the following manner.

- and testified that he never told anyone that Rhoads struck the podium with the right side of his face, nor that Petitioner approached Rhoads from behind. (RT 550-551). However, in an Investigative Employee (I.E.) report authored by Officer Holmes, Holmes wrote in pertinent part: "Reporting Employee's Statement: "On 2/23/02 in pertinent part: "Reporting Employee's Statement: "On 2/23/02 at approximately 2005 hours, during the 2000 Yard inline, Inmate Morales at approximately 2005 hours, during the 2000 Yard inline, Inmate Morales at approximately 2005 hours, during the 2000 Yard inline, Inmate Morales at approximately 2005 hours, during the 2000 Yard inline, Inmate Morales at approximately 2005 hours, during the 2000 Yard inline, Inmate Morales in approached Officer Rhoads from behind ... and struck Officer Rhoads in the right facial area with a closed fist. Officer Rhoads fell at an angle, from right to left, striking the edge of the podium with his face ....

  Inmate Morales stood over Officer Rhoads." (see Ex " K " I.E. Report authored by C.O. Holmes.).
- 12. Even though this report seriously undermines Davis' testimony, trial counsel failed to impeach him with it, even when Holmes was on the stand and opportunity was present.
- 13. Further, Davis testified that he did not prepare the 115 RUR, and that he did not know who did. (RT 550). However, in a report authored by correctional Lieutenant T.L. Martinez found fetitioner "guilty" of Battery on Martinez; LT. Martinez found fetitioner "guilty" of Battery on C.a. Rhoads at a disciplinary heaving. In the "findings" portion LT. Martinez relied on the following in rendering his decision: "The Rules Violation Report written by correctional officer

<sup>2.</sup> In a hearing outside the presense of the jury, Holmes confirmed he spoke to Davis:

STOREY: "What I'm asking You is did you discuss that reporting... one second... Reporting Employees Statement with Officer Davis?"

HOLMES: "I discussed it. Officer Davis saw the report, Officer Davis told me what happened and I put that part in the Employee Report" (RT 670-671).

 D. Davis which states in part; 'On Saturday, February 23rd 2002 at approximately 2005 hours, Inmate Morales approached Officer Rhoads from behind as he sat by the podium and struck officer Rhoads in the right facial area with closed fists. Officer Rhoads Rhoads in the right facial area with closed fists. Officer Rhoads fell at an angle, from right to left, striking the edge of the fell at an angle, from right to left, striking the edge of the foliam with his face... Inmate Morales then stood over Officer podium with his face... Inmate Morales then stood over Officer Rhoads and watched him as he laid on the ground." 31 (Ex"L")

- 14. This report by LT. Martinez seriously undermines Davis' testimony that he did not write the 115 Rules Violation Report. Yet, counsel failed to impeach Davis by failing to call LT. Martinez to the Stand.
- 15. Furthermore, in an I.E. Report authored by I.E. A. Nerkouteren (Investigative Employee (I.E.) for Immate Genzalez H55379). Verkouteren wrote that Davis told him that while Petitioner was being counselled by C.O. Rhoads, he heard threats directed to Rhoads (See EX "M" I.E. Report by Verkouteren.). However, in the I.E. Report authored by Holmes, Davis denied making such statements to I.E. Verkouteren. (See EX "M" I.E. Report by Holmes). Counsel failed however, to impeach Davis with his inconsistent statements.
  - (: FACTS PERTAINING TO COUNSELS FAILURE TO INTRODUCE EVIDENCE OF ANOTHER SUSPECT THAT PERSONALLY THREATENED RHOADS WITH PHYSICAL HARM.
- 16. Finally, attorney Storey failed to present evidence that another prisoner theatened Rhoads with physical horm prior to Rhoads being assaulted.
- 17. According to a memorandum authored by LT. G.N. Granish, C.O. E. Romero alleged that an Inmate Gonzalez M55379 made

<sup>3.</sup> LT. Martinez also relied on Davis' statement to I.E. Holmes. (See Ex. "L"). In that statement Davis basically repeated what is contained in the 115. (see also para 11.)

threatening remarks of physical harm to Rhoads after he had verbally counselled Petitioner. (See EX" ?" memo). Further, the memo goes on to State that Rhoads Stated that after he counselled Petitioner, Petitioner was "receptive" However, while Petitioner was being counselled, Gionzalez, also the Mexican Representative approached Rhoads Stating: "What are you doing to my people? Why are you disrespecting my race?" Rhoads ordered Petitioner to go to his cell. Gonzalez walked up to Rhoads and said, "If you don't leave him alone, you will get hit" (ID).

18. Despite this evidence that another prisoner threatened Rhoads with physical harm, counsel failed to present it. This prejudiced Petitioner because Petitioner had no motive to assault Rhoads. In fact, Petitioner was set to parole in less than two years when the incident took place. Geonzalez, by his statements, obviously did have motive, which counsel failed to explore.

19. Counsel's failure to impeach Davis and failure to investigate and present evidence of another possible suspect that may have assaulted Rhoads constitutes ineffective assistance.

THE LOWER COURTS VIOLATED PETITIONER'S DUE PROCESS RIGHTS (d) GROUND FOUR: UNDER THE FOURTEENTH AMENDMENT BY FAILING TO ISSUE AN ORDER-TO-SHOW CAUSE PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA RULES OF COURT; RULE 4.55/ (9) (3).

## Supporting FACTS (state briefly without citing cases or law):

- 1. On October 17th, 2006, Court Clerk Veronica lopez filed Petitioners Habeas Corpus Petition to presiding judge Jones of the Imperial County Superior Court. (See EX "P" Acceptance and Filing of Writ of Habens Corpus Petition.
- 2. Pursuant to California Rules of Court, Rule 4.551 (a) (3) the court must rule on a petition within 30 days after the petition is filed. If this time limit is violated, an order to Show cause will be deemed to have issued.
- 3. The Imperial County Superior Court violated the mandate of California Rules of Court, Rule 4.551 (a) (3) by not ruling on the Petition for hobeas corpus within thirty (30) days. In fact, the court did not issue a ruling until December 15th , 2006, approximately fifty-nine (59) days after it was filed, twenty nine (29) days over the time constraints. (see Ex. " Q" Order Danying Petition for Writ of Habeas (orbus.)

Nor did the court issue an order to show cause as was required for violating the thirty (30) day time limit. Instead the court found the Petition timely filed and denied Grounds 1 and 2. on the merits. (Id. at p. 1.)

4. On February 21st, 2007 the clerk of the California Court of Appeal, Fourth Appellate District, Division One, informed Petitioner that his habeas petition was filed on Feb. 20th, 2007 ( See Ex "R" clerks letter dated 2/21/07).

Did you raise GROUND FOUR in	the California	Supreme Court?
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5. Ninety-three (93) days later, on May 24th, 2007 the Court of Appeal asked the Attorney General to file an Informal Response to the petition for habeas corpus (see, Ex " S ' Letter dated May 24th, 2007).

6. The lower courts violation of California Rules of Court rule 4.551 (a) (3) amounted to a violation of Petitioner's State and federal due process rights and for that reason, petitioner is entitled to relief.

# supporting Facts:

- 1. Appellate Counsel rendered ineffective assistance by failing to raise Grounds 1 and 2. on direct appeal denying Petitioner meaningful appellate review.
- 2. There is no factical decision on Appellate Counsels part, as Evounds A and 2. find support in the Reporters Transcripts and Petitioner wrote counsel explaining to her the relevant facts pertaining to Grounds 1 and 2, and asked for her opinion of these, rather they were appealable grounds. Appellate Counsel stated they were not and proceeded to raise meritless issues.
- 3. Accordingly, counsels failure to argue Grounds 1. and 2. on direct appeal was ineffective assistance and denied Petitioner Due Process and Equal Protection.

Did You raise GROUND FIVE in the California Supreme Court?
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## DECLARATION OF ARMANDO MORALES

- I, Armando Morales, do hereby declare:
- 1. I'am the Petitioner of this action over the age of eighteen (18) and competent to testify. I make this declaration in support of my petition for writ of habeas corpus.
- 2. During the prosecutions case in chief, my attorney Thomas Storey brought up the possibility of me testifying. I asked for his opinion of whether or not I Should testify.
- 3. Mr. Storey informed me that he could not properly advise me until he knew exactly what had occured. However, he said that he did not have time to visit me again and asked that I write out in full detail what exactly had happened and any thoughts or theories I had in mind. He instructed me to mail it to him via confidential legal mail
- 4. That same night in my prison cell, I wrote a two (2) page letter to Mr. Storey fully disclosing all the circumstances surrounding this incident along with my defense theory, and asked Mr. Storey for his advice on whether or not I should testify. I placed this written communication in a blank white envelope and addressed it to "Thomas Storey Esq." with the words "confidential Attorney-Client Communication."
- 5. The next day, I took the letter to court to give to my attorney. I gave the letter to the correctional officers ((.o.'s) transporting me for them to inspect it for contraband. When I arrived at court, the (.o. handed my confidential letter to the baliff who in turn gave it to Mr. Storey.

- 6. In the courtroom, I explained to Mr. Storey that everything he needed to Know from me was in the letter that the baliff handed to him. Mr. Storey stated, "Perfect, I will read it later."
- 7. The following day, Mr. Storey told me that he had read the letter, and that he could prepare me if I chose to testify, which he thought would be a good idea. So I decided to testify. We also discussed the pro's and cons of the defense theories which I had wrote Mr. Storey in the letter.
- 8. Before the judge entered the courtroom, both Mr. Storey and I were preparing for my testimony. This required discussing the incident, strategy, observing how I would answer questions posed by Mr. Storey, and reviewing all of the incident reports as well as the written communication to Mr. Storey from mp.
- 9. While Mr. Storey and I were preparing for my testimony and defense strategy, the prosecutor was about four (4) feet away from us, sitting behind the prosecutions side of the table, apparently listening to my conversation with Mr. Storey and glancing towards our direction from time to time.
- 10. Later that day, I took the stand in my own defense. During cross-examination I was ambushed by the prosecutor. He questioned me about the letter I wrote Mr. Storey in confidence about my case. I immediatly told the prosecutor that that was "confidential information that I was Sharing with my attorney".

11. After a side-bar the prosecution had possession of my written communication to my attorney that I wrote him in confidence to seek legal counsel. The prosecutor used my confidential communication to my attorney to impeach me during cross-examination.

12. After I testified, I asked Mr. Storey how the prosecutor Knew about my confidential letter to him and how he obtained possession of it. Mr. Storey informed me that the prosecutor had over heard our conversation and the judge forced him to turn

it over to the D.A.

13. I trusted my afterney Thomas Storey, that is why I freely disclosed to him everything about my case. I believed my written communication to him would remain confidential.

14. The reason I hand delivered my confidential letter to Mr. Storey instead of mailing it was because prison officials at Centinela State Prison were tempering with my mail including confidential legal mail. I wanted to make sure he got it and that it remained between us-

15. If necessary, I will be willing to testify to

the fore-going facts.

16. I declare under penalty of perjury that the abovementioned is true and correct to the best of my Knowledge.

Dated . 3/31/08

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1	A. No, sir, I did not.
2	Q. The first time you testified, Mr. Storey asked you, you
3	said you went that way?
4	A. I went to the C side of the dayroom. That is the
5	Hispanic and White side of the dayroom.
6	Q. Before you testified today, as you are sitting here
. 7	today, did you review any documents before you testified to aid
8	you in your testimony?
9	A. Not to aid me, just to be prepared. Yes, I did. I
10	looked at the reports that the officer's report.
11	Q. And something else, too, right?
12	A. No.
13	Q. Nothing handwritten?
14	A. I had my personal paperwork that I was sharing with my
15	attorney.
16	Q. What I'm asking you, sir, if you reviewed any documents
17	today prior to your testimony other than police reports?
18	A. My handwritten material that I wrote myself, yes.
19	Q. What was that?
20	A. That was confidential information that I was sharing
21	with my attorney.
22	MR. BAKER: Your Honor, may we approach?
23	THE COURT: Yes.
24	(Unreported side bar was held.)
25	THE COURT: Ladies and gentlemen, you heard about a

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document that Mr. Morales referred to in refreshing his recollection. We're going to be in brief recess to allow the prosecutor to have a chance to review that and then we'll be back in session. So that should be five to ten minutes at the most.

You remember when we were involved in jury selection, I said I would do my best not to inconvenience you, but the way trials work, it is necessary occasionally to do things like this. And I appreciate your patience and understanding.

Please don't form or express any opinions regarding this case or discuss this matter among yourselves or with anyone else until it's finally submitted to you. We'll see you back here in five to ten minutes I would expect.

(Recess.)

(The following proceedings were held out of the presence and hearing of the jury:)

THE COURT: We're outside the presence of the jury.

When we discussed this issue at side bar, Mr. Storey distinguished two sorts of paperwork. One was apparently a narrative written by his client of what had occurred. And Mr. Morales has just testified that he referred to that in refreshing his recollection prior to testimony. And Mr. Storey agreed and the Court agrees that the prosecutor is entitled to review that. The other was a communication between Mr. Morales and Mr. Storey that had to do with theories of the case and Mr. Storey contends is privileged attorney/client communication.

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MR. STOREY: Correct. 1 THE COURT: And Mr. Storey is stating that Mr. Morales 2 did not refer to that in refreshing his recollection prior to 3 testimony. 4 Mr. Baker. 5 - MR. BAKER: Your Honor, I'm satisfied with Mr. Storey's 6 7 representations. All right. Then we'll give you an THE COURT: 8 opportunity to review that. 9 (Recess.) 10 (The following proceedings were held in 11 the presence and hearing of the jury:) 12 We're back in session in the Morales case THE COURT: 13 with all parties as previously identified. All jurors are present 14 as well. Mr. Baker was conducting cross-examination. 15 Mr. Baker. 16 MR. BAKER: Thank you. 17 BY MR. BAKER: 18 Inmate Morales, you testified a few moments ago that you Q. 19 never made eye contact with Officer Romero, correct? 20 I never looked into her eyes, no. 21 Did you make eye contact with her? 22 0. Α. No. 23 But you said another time, didn't you, that you remember 24 Q. Romero looking right at you? 25

I remembered her looking at me, but I didn't see her

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2	look back	κ at me.
3	Q.	How could you tell she was looking at you?
4	A.	I'm standing here. I can tell you are looking at me,
5	you know	•
6	Q.	You described earlier for the jury what you were
7	wearing.	What did you say you were wearing up here?
8	Α.	When I came in from the yard, I had on a sweatshirt,
9	white T-s	shirt and sling-shot white shirt.
10	Q.	But that is not what you had on when you got sprayed?
11	A.	When I was in the dayroom, I took off my sweater and
12	white T-s	shirt.
13	Q.	And you only had a sling shot on?
14	. A.	Sling shot.
15	Q.	When which is a tank top?
16	A.	A shirt. Tank top.
17	Q.	Muscle shirt?
18	A.	Yeah, undershirt.
19	Q.	And your shoulders are exposed?
20	Α.	Yes, sir.
21	Q.	When you got sprayed in the face and head, there was no
22	clothes p	rotecting your shoulders, correct?
23	Α.	No.
24	Q.	You said today, before the jury, that you got in line
25	because y	ou wanted to ask Officer Rhoads for a shower?

1	A. I was going to ask him for a shower and a few other
2	questions.
3	Q. Oh, a few other questions.
4	And a few other questions would involve something I'm
5	about to ask you about, correct?
6	A. I don't know what you are asking to ask me.
7	Q. You testified earlier you were in line because you
8	wanted a shower, you missed it at 4:00?
9	A. Yeah.
10	Q. You wanted to talk to Officer Rhoads about getting a
11	shower?
12	A. I in getting in line, I wanted to talk to him about
13	other things, things that happened earlier.
14	Q. You were only in the line for a second?
15	A. I was in the line briefly. I can't recall the exact
16	time.
17	Q. On a prior occasion you made a different statement.
18	That statement was that you got in line, you knew that if you
19	missed your shower at 4:00, you couldn't have a shower until 8:00
20	You got in line to ask him for a bag; isn't that correct?
21	A. I never made that statement.
22	Q. But you said it before, didn't you?
23	A. No. I said it before previously, that if you miss
24	your shower at 4:00, you can come in at 8:00 and get one. I was

going to ask Officer Rhoads for plastic to cook food in.

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· 1	Q.	You said that in the document I looked at?
2	Α.	Right.
3	Q.	You also said that you couldn't get a shower at 8:00 if
4	you misse	d your shower at 4:00 in that document?
5	Α.	No. If you miss your shower at 4:00, you can get your
6	shower at	8:00.
7	Q.	I know that is your testimony today. What I'm asking
8	you, you	said in a document that I just looked at you can't get a
9	shower at	8:00.
10	A.	I don't remember verbatim. Let me look at it.
11	Q.	Sure. Maybe this will refresh your recollection.
12	·	I'm directing you down to the bottom five or six lines,
13	Mr. Moral	es.
14	A.	Here?
15	Q.	Yeah.
16	Α.	It appears that is what I wrote, that is just an error
17	on my part	t. That is just chicken scratch. I scratched that up
18	before I	came to court.
19	Q.	And you wanted to get a bag let me ask you, is that
20	true that	you wanted to get a bag from Officer Rhoads? Is that
21	part true?	
22	Α.	That's true.
23	Q.	You wanted a bag for what?
24	Α.	To cook food in.

Q. Okay. What other things? You said you wanted other

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- A. I was going to talk to him. My main purpose for getting into that line, because I didn't want Officer Rhoads to see me go to the shower and call me on it, like, "Why aren't you listening to me?" I didn't want a conflict with him. He already told me earlier about running around the dayroom. If I miss a shower at 4:00 -- he is the one that told me to go home earlier that day. I missed my shower because he told me to go home. That is the purpose of that. I told him I needed my shower, and to ask him for a bag.
  - Q. Anything else?
- A. Not off -- I can't recall exactly what I was -- I know I was going to ask him for a bag as well.
  - O. You had eaten dinner at 6:00 that night, correct?
- A. Yes, sir.

MR. BAKER: If I could have just a minute, your Honor.

THE COURT: Yes.

18 (Pause in the proceedings.)

#### BY MR. BAKER:

- Q. Showers are important to inmates, aren't they?
- A. Yes, sir.
- Q. In fact, you wanted to take a shower at 4:00, when instead you were talking to somebody and you got counseled and pulled into the sally port; is that correct?
  - A. That is what I was in the dayroom for was to take a

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1	shower.
2	Q. That is why you didn't get your shower?
3	A. I didn't get a shower at 4:00. I was moving around
4	instead of getting in the shower like I should have been. That
5	was my fault.
6	Q. I want to get a little more specific with you,
7	Mr. Morales.
8	Isn't it true that you are the same Armondo Morales that
9	was convicted in Los Angeles County I'm sorry San Bernardino
10	County for first-degree residential burglary on May 4th, year
11	2000; is that correct?
12	A. Yes. When I was about 16, I was convicted of that, like
13	I mentioned earlier.
14	Q. You are the same Armondo Morales who was convicted of
15	second-degree robbery in San Bernardino County on May 4th, year
16	2000?
17	A. Unfortunately, yes.
18	Q. Yes, unfortunately.
19	You are the same Armondo Morales that was convicted of
20 -	another count of second-degree robbery on May 4th, year 2000; is
21	that correct?
22	A. Yes, sir.
23	MR. BAKER: No further questions, your Honor.
24	THE COURT: Any redirect, Mr. Storey?
25	MR. STOREY: Very briefly, your Honor.
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got in a line where the inmates from the dayroom were supposed to be. He wasn't supposed to be in that line that day. So why did he get in that line? It's a great question. He testified there were two lines. Everybody else testified there was one line. I don't think that really matters. I think what matters is why did Inmate Morales get in that line?

But we know he did and that was established by his own testimony and by the testimony of the officers.

The question is, why was he in that line? I think he was in that line because he was preparing to attack Officer Rhoads.

Officer Romero made eye contact with Morales. And as you recall, she thought it was odd that Morales was in the line.

Now, Inmate Morales originally told you before he knew that I was going to get to take a look at that piece of paper, that he didn't know I was going to get to take a look at, he told you, "I didn't make any eye contact with Officer Romero." Then you recall I questioned him after our little recess and suddenly he said something like, "Well, I knew she was looking at me because I have peripheral vision." Something like that.

Officer Romero saw Inmate Morales, and Inmate Morales knew, I think, the evidence is -- a reasonable inference from the evidence is that he knew when Inmate Romero (sic) made contact with him, he knew that he shouldn't be in that line. She was

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Certainly the Defense called a lot of witnesses. But ask yourself, what did they say? What evidence do I have to backup an alternate theory? Zero. None. Speculation.

Do not base your verdict on mere speculation. Base it on testimony and photographs and things that are received into evidence.

In the People's case, we have the defendant present. In the People's case, we have eyewitnesses. In the People's case, we have a defendant with a motive.

In the Defense's case, Inmate Morales is on this stand telling you his story. If you believe him, as you watched him testify, as you listen to his inconsistent statements, at least near the end of his testimony, if you believe Inmate Morales, you can render a not guilty verdict. If you do not believe that he got up here and told you the truth, then you can disregard everything the Defense says and render that guilty verdict.

MR. STOREY: I think that misstates the law, your Honor.

THE COURT: Overruled. This is argument.

Go ahead.

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MR. BAKER: When you are thinking about Inmate

Morales, please recall his testimony. He said a few things that
were very interesting that I want to focus on briefly, and then
I'll close.

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Rhoads for a shower. That makes sense. He told you there is two things inmates can do if they want to shower; put the towel on their door or talk to an officer. Why did he choose to talk to an officer instead of putting a towel on the door? More importantly than that, was it the truth?

If you recall, after I had a chance to look at what

-Inmate Morales refreshed his recollection with before trial, he

.said before, "I can't have a shower day if I missed it at 4:00,

and I missed it at 4:00 because of him, and showers are important
to inmates."

He also said, after I questioned him about the document I reviewed, that there are other reasons why he got in line. He didn't tell us here before I had knowledge of the document that there was another reason. He said, "I just got in the line to ask him for a shower," ladies and gentlemen of the jury. Then I had a chance to look at that document, and I got to question him a little bit. Then he said, "Well, there were some other things, too. I wanted to ask him for a bag." But there was more than that.

There was one statement that I think is really telling.

Honest. Someplace here. I questioned him about his earlier

testimony, and I ask him, "You testified earlier you were in line

because you want a shower you missed at 4:00?"

And he said, "Yeah."

"You wanted to talk to Officer Rhoads about getting

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a shower?"

about other things. Things that happened earlier."

.earlier. What happened earlier is Officer Rhoads was counseling
.him. He was in that line for one reason only, he had been
.thinking about it for hours after it happened. He was in that
.line to seek revenge for what happened to him for that counseling
.for missing the shower. I think that statement he made is very
.telling. He didn't tell you that when he first got on the stand.

He also didn't tell you he made eye contact with

Officer Romero when he first got on the stand. He said, "I didn't

see her."

I said, "Well, you said something else before, didn't you?" I got somewhat of a concession that he made eye contact with Officer Romero.

You are going to have to decide in this case what you are going to base your verdict on. I'm going to ask you to base your verdict on the evidence. I'm going to ask you to base your verdict on the pictures, testimony, on reasonable interpretation of the facts. I'm going to ask you to reject speculation. And I'm going to ask you to reject interpretations of the facts that don't make sense and that are unreasonable. I'm going to ask you to return a verdict of guilty on both counts because those are the only verdicts that are supported by the evidence in this case.

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I want you to be aware of the message being sent to you. You can make your own determination as to whether you think they are lying.

Mr. Storey said, "It's obvious everybody didn't get down because there is nobody in front of the podium." Everybody knows this picture was taken after the event. And nobody testified that anybody moved around, at all, after all of the inmates went down.

He tried to imply -- he was being really nice -- we all really like Mr. Rhoads. He was, in my view, trying to make it appear that he didn't remember anything. Mr. Rhoads' testimony was very clear about everything that happened that day and consistent with all of the other witnesses. He doesn't remember what happened after he got knocked out. But he didn't ever say, nor did anything in his testimony cause us to believe that he didn't remember all of the events that happened beforehand. He was very clear.

The counselling, conversations, what happened, everything that happened before. And I don't recall him telling us about somebody jumping over the podium at him right before he went out. That is a ridiculous story, and I hope you reject it.

Then he said to you, "Armondo had no inconsistency." He stood up here and said to you, "My client had no inconsistencies in his testimony whatsoever." Is that what you recall? He didn't until I had an opportunity to look at the document that I didn't know existed, until the Court ordered it

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turned over. In that document, I asked him about several inconsistencies that he left out after he an opportunity to hear all of the testimony and craft his testimony to make sure it didn't conflict or it made sense in the context of the testimony that had already been produced by the witness.

Your duty is to reject the unreasonable interpretation of the facts. It is unreasonable to think that somebody right next to Officer Romero, jumped over and attacked Officer Rhoads and nobody saw that defendant here because he had to be in the out-of-bounds line attacking him. And that Romero runs over here and arrests Armondo Morales.

And nobody sees the attacker. Davis doesn't see him. He is a mystery man. Nobody sees him. Where does he come from? From the imagination of the defendant and his attorney. Only person who has been in this story and everybody describes is Armondo Morales. Armondo Morales. The guy standing here when the event happened. The guy Officer Davis witnessed attack Officer Rhoads. Any other interpretation of the facts is unreasonable. If that's the case, you have a duty to render a guilty verdict.

Mr. Storey said it would be an injustice. Not to compound the injustice, the injustices that happened to Officer Rhoads. Don't compound it by convicting him. I'm telling you, don't compound the injustice that happened to Officer Rhoads by freeing this man. See him guilty. And that is how you should vote. That's the verdict I'm asking you to return. Thank you.

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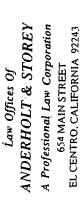
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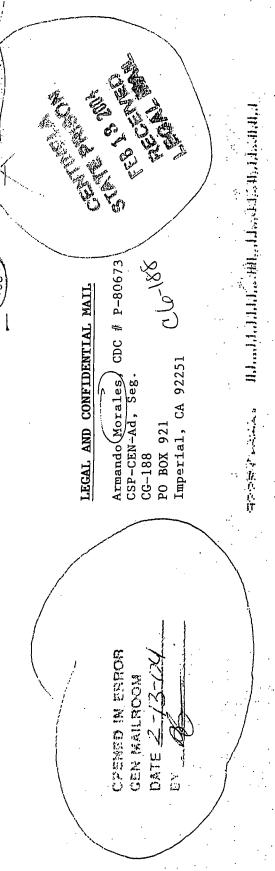
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circumstances lined up for Armondo to be charged.

Did he do anything illegal that day? I won't say wrong because he did something wrong, clearly he did something wrong that day. Did he do anything illegal that day? No.

Mr. Baker says you shouldn't believe Armondo because he didn't tell you that there was more than one reason he got in the line. Anybody's husband or wife ask them to do anything? My wife asks me to take out the trash. Why would I take out the trash? I take out the trash because my wife asked me to take out the trash. I also take out the trash because I don't want my wife to get upset with me. I also take out the trash because it's full. I also take out the trash because I don't want it to smell in the house. So is it unusual for somebody who has had no training, and there is no evidence that Armondo had any training on testifying when asked, why did you get the line, would give you one of the multiple reasons why he got in the line? No.

Mr. Baker would have you believe that Armondo knew he couldn't take a shower. Armondo did not say that. He said he came in an hour early, got in line an hour early at eight o'clock. He could have stayed out until 9:00. He said he went in because they do take showers.

. In his written statement to me that the D.A. was able to go through, there was a word "not" and asked about whether or not he said that. Armondo said, "Yeah, that is what I wrote.

That is not what I meant." Check the transcript. That is what he

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P80673 MORALES			EPRD 11/2/		B1-226L	FB-02-02-057
VIOLATED RULE NO(S).	1	ATTERY ON A TH SERIOUS		BUILDING 1	DATE 02/23/02	2005 HOURS
CCR §3005(c)  CIRCUMSTANCES On Saturday, February	23. 2002. at	approximatel	v 2005 hours	Inmate Morales,	P80673, B1-22	26L, attempted
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around his head. Inmate Morales moment Officer E. Romero, Facility	RI Floor Off	ficer #7. orde	ered Immate Mr	orales to "get dou	√n." Inπate M	orales impored
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Mental Health Service Delivery Syst This RVR is ordered re-issue/re-h	em at the CCCI	YS/EOP/MHCB le	evel of care.	inmate Morales i	s aware of thi	s report.
classifies the CDC-115 shall not s	serve as the I	Disciplinary H	learing Office	r. This RVR is l	peing amended s	so the specific
act in the RVR matches with the spe Injury. This amendment does not pro-	ecific act on	the 837 Crim	e/lncident Re	port, Battery on a	a Peace Office	r with Serious
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C. McWILLIAMS, Sergeant	/\\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	22-02	DATE N/A		LOC. N/A	
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Health Services Delivery Sy	vstem at t	he CCCMS/E	OP/MHCB lev	el of care,	he was not	assigned a
Smaff Assistant. Inmate Mor	ales state	d that his	health was	pretty good w	vith unimpai	red hearing
and/or vision. Inmate Moral documents; CDC-115A, Invest:	es acknowle icative Emi	edged recei olovee Repo	pt of this ort. CDC 83	37 Crime/Incid	ent Report;	more than
24 hours prior to the hear	ing. These	e reports a	as well as	the disciplin	nary charge	of BATTERY
ON A PEACE OFFICER WITH SE Inmate Morales stated that h	ERIOUS INJU	JRY were re	eviewed wit	th Inmate Nor.	ales at th:	is hearing.
Inmate Morales stated that h	e unuerscoo	ou all uocu	mentation a	na was prepare	d co begin.	
DUE PROCESS: This disciplin	ary was se	rved to Ir	nmate Moral	es within 15	days of di	scovery and
the hearing was held within are no due process issues.	n thirty da	ays of ser	vice. Time	e constraints .	nave been i	met. There
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DISTRICT ATTORNEY: This mat request this hearing postpone	ter was re ed pending	eferred for outcome of	felony pr	osecution. I al.	nmate Moral	es did not
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O by I/E	- Did you see what happened t - No. I did not see what happ cairs near B section of the day	Gued. The ermin "	ent off when I was	standing
A by I/N	- Why did you assault/attack - I did not attack or assault	LLE EL		
Q by I/E Rhoads f floor an this? A by I/M	- According to the written re rom behind and struck him in t d you stood over him as he - No.	eport by Officer D. the face with a cl lay unconscious a	. Davis, you approa losed fist knocking nd bloeding. <b>Can</b>	ched Officer him to the you explain
O by I/E A by I/E	Do you want to make a state No.	ment about this in	cident?	

Q by I/E - Do you have any comments? A by I/M - None.

REPORTING EMPLOYEE'S STATEMENT: Om 2/23/02, at approximately 2005 hours, during the 2000 hours yard inline Immate Morales approached Officer Rhoads from behind as he sat by the podium and struck Officer Rhoads in the right facial area with closed fist. Officer Rhoads fell at an angle, from right to left, striking the edge of the podium with his face. While Officer Rhoads lay unconscious on the ground with a pool of blood around him, Immate Morales stood over Officer Rhoads.

Inmate Morales submitted the following questions for Officer D. Davis:

	SIGNATURE OF WRITER CORRECTTONAL OFFICER F.	HOLMES	DATE SIGNED
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RULES VIOLATION REPORT - PART C

INMATE'S NAME

MORALES

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SUPPLEMENTAL X CONTINUATION OF: 115 CIRCUMSTANCES X HEARING   IE REPORT   OTHER
STATE ASSISTANT: Was not assigned. Inmate Morales is not illiterate (claims 12th grade education), can read and write, is English speaking, the issues are complex, he is not a participant in the Mental Health Services Delivery System, and did not require a confidential relationship in preparing his defense.
INVESTIGATIVE FMPTOYEE: Officer F. Holmes, was assigned, the issues are complex, his housing status did preclude his gathering of evidence, additional information was not necessary for a fair hearing. Rule Violation Report Log #FB-02-02-057 had been ordered re-issue/re-hear and the Specific Act was amended from "Attempted Murder on a Peace Officer" to "Battery on a Peace Officer with Serious Injury", and that the amended violation is also an A-l offense. Inmate Morales informed the Investigative Employee that he did not want his hearing postponed and wanted it heard as soon as practical. Inmate Morales requested to have his original IE Report for the re-issue/re-hear with no additional information. Inmate Morales did not have a specific statement. He wanted to use the report from his previous hearing. Inmate Morales received a copy of the IE report and had no objections to the report.
PLEA: Inmate Morales plead NOT GUILTY, and gave the following testimony as his defense: "The Officers that were involved lied on their statements."
WITNESSES Inmate Morales requested the presence of Officer Davis and Inmate Gonzales, but waived the presence of previously requested witnesses and signed the CDC 115A, dated 8/01/02, accordingly.
VIDEO TAPE: Was not used for evidentiary purposes. There was no video tipe.
FINDINGS: Inmate Morales was found GUILTY as charged of violating California Code of Regulations, \$3005(c), a Division "A-1" Offense; the specific charge of BATTERY ON A PEACE OFFICER WITH SERIOUS INJURY.  The preponderance of evidence submitted and considered in reaching this finding substantiates the charge, and supports the factors in aggravation  This finding is based on the following:  A. The Rules Violation Report written by Correctional Officer D. Davis which states, in part, On Saturday, February 23, 2002, at approximately 2005 hours, Inmate Morales approached Officer Rhoads from behind as he sat by the podium, and struck Officer Rhoads in the right, facial area with closed fists, Officer Rhoads fell at an angle, from right to left, striking the edge of the podium with his face. Officer Rhoads laid unconscious on the ground and a pool of blood formed around his head. Inmate Morales then stood over Officer Rhoads and watched him as he laid on the ground.  B1. The CDC 837 Crime/Incident Report Log # FB1-02-02-0051 which states, in part, on Saturday, February 23, 2002, at approximately 2005 hours, Inmate Morales, P80673, B1-226L, battered Correctional Officer J. Rhoads, Facility B1 Floor Officer #1, causing him to lose consciousness and receive multiple facial fractures.  B2. While supervising yard inline, Officer Rhoads was approached by inmate Morales at the officer's podium. Morales battered Officer Rhoads by battering him with his fists. Officer
SIGNATURE OF WRITER  T. L. MARTINEZ, Correctional Lieutenant  GIVEN BY: (Staff's Signature)  COPY OF CDC 115-C GIVEN TO INMATE  DATE SIGNED  TIME SIGNED  8/9/02  2/06

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correct?  A by I/M  Q by I/M  overheard  "We're go	In your report, you did No, I did not mention any t However, in your I.E. R unknown inmates make a threading to get you Rhoads." Correc That is not in my report.	hreats. eport for Inmate t against Officer R	Gonzalez you stated	d that you
Gonzalez . Morales) : between In	Officer Romero Reported a stated, "If you don't leave his alone, you will get hit." You mate Morales and officer Rhoad I'm not sure about the time	m (Inmate mentioned that you ds at 1500 hours, c	were aware of the orrect?	
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MEMO



# Memorandum

Date

: March 6, 2002

ARMANDO FAVILA Correctional Captain

Facility B

Subject: INVESTIGATION OF I/M GONZALEZ, H-55379

On Saturday, February 23, 2002, G. Guirbino, Warden, assigned an investigation to me into the Attempted Murder of Correctional Officer J. Rhoads. It is alleged by Officer Romero, E, assigned as Officer Rhoads housing unit floor partner, that Inmate GONZALEZ, H 55379, had made threatening remarks of physical harm to Officer Rhoads after he had verbally counseled Inmate MORALES, P-80673. Later that same night at approximately 2005 hours, Officer Rhoads was attacked by MORALES.

MORALES and GONZALEZ are currently assigned to Administrative Segregation (Ad/Seg) due to the attack on Officer Rhoads. On Wednesday, March 6, 2002, I contacted Officer Rhoads at his residence to inquire about inmate GONZALEZ and his role, from his vantage point, in the attack. And any conversation between GONZALEZ and him, which had taken place.

The following is a synopsis of the conversation:

The call was placed 1605 hours, Officer Rhoads stated that he did have a conversation with inmate MORALES about his negative attitude at or around 1500 hours. And after the counseling session, MORALES was receptive. While, MORALES was being counseled, GONZALEZ, also the Men's Advisory Council (MAC) Mexican Representative, approached Officer Rhoads stating, "What are you doing to my people? Why are you disrespecting my race?" With Officer Romero near him, Officer Rhoads ordered MORALES to "lock up (to go to his assigned cell)." Inmate GONZALEZ walked up to where Officer Rhoads was counseling MORALES. As GONZALEZ walked up to Officer Rhoads, with Officer Romero standing closer to GONZALEZ as he approached. Officer Romero overheard GONZALEZ as he stated to Officer Rhoads. "If you don't leave him alone, you will." get hit." GONZALEZ and MORALES then walked away from the officers and to.

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MORALES's assigned cell. Both inmates walked to the cell. Before walking into the cell GONZALEZ and MORALES shook hands and MORALES walked into the cell and closed the cell door behind him. GONZALEZ then walked away from the cell door to the dayroom.

Officer Rhoads remembers conducting the release of inmates for the evening yard at 1900 hours. He also remembers conducting yard inline at 2000 hours. The next thing he remembers is waking up at 2105 hours at the hospital.

**GONZALEZ** is currently assigned to Ad/Seg for "Threats to staff resulting in an Attempted Murder on a Peace Officer." Copy of the Rules Violation Report Log #FB-02-02-058 is enclosed.

This closes my interest in this investigation.

G. N. GRANISH, Lieutenant

3/W, Facility B

Centinela State Prison

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EXHIBIT P



# IMPERIAL COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT 939 W. MAIN STREET EL CENTRO, CA 92243 (760) 482-4256

October 17, 2006

Mr. Armando Morales

Re: Acceptance and Filing of Your Writ of Habeas Corpus Petition

Your petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus has been accepted and filed on 10/17/2006.

It has been assigned case EHC 00801 and it is currently being reviewed by the presiding Judge Jones.

I am including an endorsed copy of the face sheet for your records.

Sincerely,

Veronica Lopez

Court Clerk I

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EXHIBIT Q

In re:

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# SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF IMPERIAL

ARMANDO MORALES,

On Habeas Corpus.

Case No. EHC 00801

## ORDER DENYING PETITION FOR WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS

Petitioner, a prisoner incarcerated at Corcoran State Prison, challenges the lawfulness of his conviction in Imperial County Superior Court Case No. CF12094 on the following grounds:

(1) Prosecutorial misconduct and, (2) ineffective assistance of counsel. The petition is timely filed.

### Prosecutorial Misconduct.

Petitioner alleges that the prosecutor became aware of petitioner going over a document with defense counsel in court; the prosecutor is alleged to have been approximately four feet away at the time of the review of the document. The prosecutor later asked petitioner on cross examination if he had reviewed any documents in preparation for his testimony, whereupon petitioner truthfully answered that he had gone over a self-prepared statement with counsel.

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The court thereafter ordered the document produced for review by the prosecution, and the document was used as a basis for impeachment of portions petitioner's testimony.

There is no allegation that the prosecutor obtained any confidential information prior to the production of the document pursuant to the court's order. At best, the petition alleges that the prosecutor became aware of the potential existence of the document. The existence of a confidential communication between a client and counsel is not privileged under Evidence Code §952. There is no showing of misconduct.

#### Ineffective Assistance of Counsel.

The petition alleges, and the transcript confirms, that the trial court ordered petitioner's statement turned over to the prosecution pursuant to Evidence Code §771, without objection by defense counsel. Petitioner alleges that the document was protected by the attorney - client privilege, and that it was error for the court to order disclosure. This court agrees with petitioner for two reasons.

First, disclosure is not a remedy authorized by Evidence Code §771. Where a refreshed witness for any reason does not wish to produce a document used to refresh recollection, the sole remedy authorized by the statute is the striking of the witness's testimony. Evidence Code §771(a).

Second, the document was privileged under Evidence Code §952. Where, as here, a client uses a privileged document to refresh the client's recollection, and the client testifies only to the facts actually perceived by the client, the privilege is not waived. Sullivan v. Superior Court (1972) 29 Cal.App.3d 64. Had defense counsel objected, the objection should have been sustained.

However, the court finds that counsel's error in not objecting does not rise to the level of ineffective assistance. To show ineffective assistance, a defendant must show that he suffered prejudice to a reasonable probability, that is, a probability sufficient to undermine confidence in

the outcome. Counsel's failure to object rarely constitutes constitutionally cognizable ineffective assistance. *People v. Gray* (2005) 37 Cal.4<sup>th</sup> 168.

The transcript attached to the petition does show that petitioner's narrative statement was used to impeach him on cross. Specifically, the document was used to impeach petitioner's testimony that he never made eye contact with the officer by reference to a portion of the document wherein petitioner stated that he knew the officer was looking at him. Also, petitioner's direct testimony that if he missed a shower at 4:00 p.m. he would be able to take one at 8:00 p.m. was impeached with his written statement that he *would not* be able to take a shower at 8:00 p.m.<sup>1</sup>

The court finds that the prosecution's impeachment of petitioner on these points could not have affected the outcome of the trial. The points covered are not central to petitioner's guilt or innocence, nor are they significantly damaging to petitioner's credibility. Indeed, it appears that the written statement was substantially in accord with petitioner's trial testimony, else a more effective cross-examination would likely have been conducted.

The court finds no cognizable claim of ineffective assistance of counsel has been shown, and the petition is DENIED.

DATED: December 15, 2006

JEFFREY BY JONES

Judge of the Superior Court

Petitioner explained on cross that this was an error in the written statement due to hasty drafting.

EXHIBIT R

## Court of Appeal

FOURTH APPELLATE DISTRICT
Division One
750 B Street, Suite 300
San Diego, CA 92101
www.courtinfo.ca.gov/courts/courtsofappeal
(619) 645-2760

February 21, 2007

RE: In re ARMANDO MORALES on Habeas Corpus D050319
Imperial County No. CF12094

Dear Petitioner:

Your petition for writ of habeas corpus has been received and filed on February 20, 2007, and assigned case number D050319. It is currently pending before the court. You will be notified of the court's decision once it has been rendered.

Please notify the court should you have a change of address.

STEPHEN M. KELLY, CLERK

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## Court of Appeal FOURTH APPELLATE DISTRICT

Division One
750 B Street, Suite 300
San Diego, CA 92101
www.courtinfo.ca.gov/courts/courtsofappeal
(619) 645-2760

May 24, 2007

RE: In re ARMANDO MORALES on Habeas Corpus

D050319

Imperial County No. CF12094

Dear Mr. Morales:

The Attorney General has been asked to file a response to the petition for writ of habeas corpus on or before June 29, 2007. Petitioner may file a reply within 20 days of the filing of the response.

STEPHEN M. KELLY, CLERK

Deputy Clerk

cc: All Parties

El Centro, CA 92243

#### **AFFIDAVIT OF TRANSMITTAL**

I am a citizen of the United States, over 18 years of age, and not a party to the within action; that my business address is 750 B Street, Suite 300, San Diego, CA 92101; that I served a copy of the attached material in envelopes addressed to those persons noted below.

That said envelopes were sealed and shipping fees fully paid thereon, and thereafter were sent as indicated via the U.S. Postal System from San Diego, CA 92101.

I certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

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Office of the Attorney General P. O. Box 85266 San Diego, CA 92186-5266	Material Sent YES:
Appellate Division Office Of The District Attorney 940 Main Street, Suite 102	Material Sent YES:

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### IN THE SUPREME COURT OF CALIFORNIA

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In re ARMANDO MORALES on Habeas Corpus

The petition for writ of habeas corpus is denied.

SUPREME COURT

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Frederick K. Ohlrich Clerk

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Moreno, J., was absent and did not participate.

GEORGE

Chief Justice

## PROOF OF SERVICE BY MAIL

BY PERSON IN STATE CUSTODY
(Fed. R. Civ. P. 5; 28 U.S.C. 1746)
I, Armando Morales , declare that I am over 18
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